



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of
Osamu YOKOYAMA et al.

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Notice of Allowance
Mailed: October 14, 2003

Confirmation No.: 1568

Application No.: 09/485,153 ✓

Group Art Unit: 2871

Filed: February 4, 2000

Examiner: T. Chowdhury

Docket No.: 105026

For: LIGHT SOURCE DEVICE INCLUDING A PLANAR LIGHT SOURCE HAVING A
SINGLE, SUBSTANTIALLY CONTINUOUS LIGHT EMISSION AREA AND DISPLAY
DEVICE INCORPORATING THE LIGHT SOURCE DEVICE

REQUEST FOR CORRECTED NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The Notice of Allowability mailed October 14, 2003 indicates in error that the allowed claims are 1-4, 6, 7, 9-11, 14-16 and 19-29. However, the Supplemental Notice of Allowability mailed June 25, 2003 correctly indicated that the allowed claims are 1-4, 6, 7, 9-11, 14-16 and 19-30. An October 20 telephone conference was conducted with Examiner Chowdhury regarding this matter, and he agreed that the Notice of Allowability is in error and requested us to file a Request for Corrected Notice of Allowability.

Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request a corrected Notice of Allowability.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date: October 21, 2003

Attachment:
Marked-up copy of Notice of Allowability



Notice of Allowability

Application No.	Applicant(s)	
09/485,153	YOKOYAMA ET AL.	
Examiner	Art Unit	
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-- The MAILING DATE of this communication appears on the cover sheet with the correspondence address--
All claims being allowable, PROSECUTION ON THE MERITS IS (OR REMAINS) CLOSED in this application. If not included herewith (or previously mailed), a Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85) or other appropriate communication will be mailed in due course. **THIS NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY IS NOT A GRANT OF PATENT RIGHTS.** This application is subject to withdrawal from issue at the initiative of the Office or upon petition by the applicant. See 37 CFR 1.313 and MPEP 1308.

1. ☒ This communication is responsive to request for RCE and IDS filed on 07/14/03.
2. ☒ The allowed claim(s) is/are 1-4, 6, 7, 9-11, 14-16 and 19-29. **19-30**
3. ☒ The drawings filed on 04 February 2000 are accepted by the Examiner.
4. ☒ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
a) ☒ All b) ☐ Some* c) ☐ None of the:
1. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.
2. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No. _____.
3. ☒ Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this national stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).
- * Certified copies not received: _____.
5. ☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for domestic priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) (to a provisional application).
(a) ☐ The translation of the foreign language provisional application has been received.
6. ☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for domestic priority under 35 U.S.C. §§ 120 and/or 121.

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By MYK on 10/16 2003
By SWK on 10/16 2003
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Applicant has THREE MONTHS FROM THE "MAILING DATE" of this communication to file a reply complying with the requirements noted below. Failure to timely comply will result in ABANDONMENT of this application. **THIS THREE-MONTH PERIOD IS NOT EXTENDABLE.**

7. ☐ A SUBSTITUTE OATH OR DECLARATION must be submitted. Note the attached EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT or NOTICE OF INFORMAL PATENT APPLICATION (PTO-152) which gives reason(s) why the oath or declaration is deficient.
8. ☐ CORRECTED DRAWINGS must be submitted.
(a) ☐ including changes required by the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) attached
1) ☐ hereto or 2) ☐ to Paper No. _____.
(b) ☐ including changes required by the proposed drawing correction filed _____, which has been approved by the Examiner.
(c) ☐ including changes required by the attached Examiner's Amendment / Comment or in the Office action of Paper No. _____.

Identifying indicia such as the application number (see 37 CFR 1.84(c)) should be written on the drawings in the front (not the back) of each sheet.

9. ☐ DEPOSIT OF and/or INFORMATION about the deposit of BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL must be submitted. Note the attached Examiner's comment regarding REQUIREMENT FOR THE DEPOSIT OF BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL.

Attachment(s)

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| 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Notice of References Cited (PTO-892) | 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Informal Patent Application (PTO-152) |
| 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) | 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Interview Summary (PTO-413), Paper No. _____ |
| 5 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statements (PTO-1449), Paper No. <u>27</u> . | 6 <input type="checkbox"/> Examiner's Amendment/Comment |
| 7 <input type="checkbox"/> Examiner's Comment Regarding Requirement for Deposit of Biological Material | 8 <input type="checkbox"/> Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance |
| | 9 <input type="checkbox"/> Other |

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